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Mr. Steve Stockton Director of Civil Works Office of CECW-XD 441 G Street NW Washington, D.C. 20314

Dear Mr. Stockton:

Please consider this request for funding from the Continuing Authorities Program (CAP) under Section 14 of the Flood Control Act of 1946 to assist the Village of Mount Pleasant, Wisconsin to control severe bluff erosion along the shoreline of Lake Michigan. The State of Wisconsin and the Village of Mount Pleasant have been working with Mr. Joe Mose, Mississippi Valley Division CAP Program Manager, to identify this project as a priority for funding.

It is my understanding that the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers will evaluate the affordability of additional new projects, make a determination on funding later this year, and submit this list of projects to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees. Please include the Village of Mount Pleasant project on your funding list.

Due to severe erosion, two village roads and the utilities within these roads are in immediate threat to succumbing to rapid bluff failure, along with roughly a dozen residential structures. The current erosion rates will also soon threaten a nearby public street which parallels the area in question along its entire length, Sheridan Road, in the near future.

Thank you for your attention to this urgent matter and we look forward to hearing from you about the next steps in the funding process.

Scott Walker

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cc. Representative Paul Ryan – Speaker, US House of Representatives
Senator Thad Cochran – Chair, Senate Appropriations Committee
Senator Barbara Mikulski – Vice Chair, Senate Appropriations Committee
Representative Hal Rogers – Chair, House Committee on Appropriations
Representative Nita Lowey – Ranking Member, House Committee on Appropriations
Senator Jim Inhofe – Chair, Senate Environment & Public Works Committee
Senator Barbara Boxer – Ranking Member, Senate Environment & Public Works
Committee

Representative Rob Bishop – Chair, House Committee on Natural Resources Representative Robin Vos – Speaker, Wisconsin State Assembly Representative Peter Barca – Minority Leader, Wisconsin State Assembly Senator Robert Wirch – Wisconsin State Senate Senator Van Wanggaard – Wisconsin State Senate